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To: MANAGER, JOHN OXLEY YOUTH CENTRE

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As arranged, I interviewed Ms Pearce on Friday, 5th January, 1990, in the company of Mr David Smith (Youth Worker, John Oxley Youth Centre as QSSU representative) and Mr Tony Brown (official of the Queensland State Service Union).

I had previously written to Ms Pearce outlining the matters you had raised in your memo to me of 8th November. I asked her whether she agreed that the facts were accurate.

Ms Pearce said that since my previous brief interview with her she now no longer believed that you and Mr Trevor Cox had entered her premises as originally alleged. She did not consider that she should apologise to yourself as she felt there were many other grievances that she had with your behaviour towards her. She said she had spoken to Mr Cox.

As Ms Pearce had made her original allegations about you and Mr Cox to the Magistrate's Inquiry at John Oxley Youth Centre, I suggested that she might seek to advise him of her change of mind by way of a letter.

I also advised her that I would be taking no further action on the matter but that should you or Mr Cox still feel aggrieved by her behaviour, particularly with regard to repeating her allegations to other people, it would be up to you whether you wanted to take any further action.

Ian Peers
Executive Director
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